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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION**

S I R :

In response to the Office Communication of April 23, 2008, Applicant presents the following response:

**In the Claims:**

Please cancel the amendments set forth in Applicants' Response to Office Action mailed December 22, 2008 (filed 12/29/08) and amend the claims in accordance with Annexure 1, attached hereto, showing the amendments to the claims.